

Approved Business Activity under Chapter 9G

The qualifying project must constitute an “approved activity” which includes the following:

- Any of the following trades or businesses in the [2012 North American Industrial Classification System \(NAICS\)](#), promulgated by the Executive Office of the President of the United States, Office of Management and Budget:
 - 1133 (logging)
 - 115111 (cotton ginning)
 - 2121 (coal mining)
 - 22111 (electric power generation)
 - 221330 (steam and air conditioning supply)
 - 31 (except National Industry 311811), 32, and 33 (manufacturing)
 - 423 and 424 (merchant wholesalers, goods)
 - 482 (rail transportation)
 - 4862 (pipeline transportation of natural gas)
 - 48691 (pipeline transportation of refined petroleum products)
 - 48699 (all other pipeline transportation)
 - 48819 (air transportation support activities)
 - 4882 (rail transport support activities)
 - 4883 (Port authority water transportation support activities (other than 48833))
 - 493 (warehousing and storage)
 - 511 (publishing industries)
 - 5121 (motion picture and video industries (other than 51213))
 - 51221 (record productions)
 - 517 (telecommunications)
 - 518 (data processing, hosting, and related services)
 - 51913 (internet publishing, broadcasting, web search portals)
 - 52232 (financial transactions processing, reserve and clearinghouse activities)
 - 54133 (engineering services)
 - 54134 (drafting services)
 - 54138 (testing laboratories)
 - 5415 (computer systems design and related services)
 - 541614 (process, physical distribution, logistics consulting services)
 - 5417 (scientific research and development services)
 - 55 (Management of companies (if not for the production of electricity))
 - 561422 (in bound call centers only)
 - 562213 (solid waste combustors and incinerators)
 - 56291 (remediation services)
 - 56292 (materials recovery facilities)
 - 611512 (flight training facilities)
 - 927 (space research and technology)
 - 92811 (national security).
- Qualifications – Business Activity by Specific Projects
 - The national or regional headquarters for a company that conducts significant business operations outside the state and that will serve as the principal office of the company’s

principal operating officer with chief responsibility for the daily business operations of the company.

- Research & development facilities
- Production of biofuels as such term is defined in Section 2-2-90(c)(2)
- Technology companies
- Agricultural center
- One of the 11 targeted business sectors under the accelerate Alabama Strategic Economic Development Plan adopted in January 2012 by the Alabama Economic Development Alliance, created by Executive Order Number 21 of the Governor on July 18, 2011:
 - Advanced Manufacturing in:
 - Aerospace/Defense, Automotive, Agricultural Products/Food Production, Steel/Metal or Forestry Products, Chemicals
 - Technology in
 - Biosciences, Information Technology or Enabling Technologies
 - Distribution/Logistics